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adopt the and incorporate LB631 which does give the counties and the municipalities an opportunity to contribute or operate these services. We also any donations that might be given by any private or so forth could be used within this transportation and correction and clarifications of a number of words. Other than that the committee amendments are simple and I would ask that they be adopted.

PRESIDENT: Senator Duis, do you want to take up your amendment to the committee amendment?

SENATOR DUIS: The amendment to the committee amendment is merely made up to make the correction that was made by the Attorney for the city of Lincoln which merely struck the section four of the committee amendment and put any local government as authorized to provide for special transportation by its own vehicle so that the contract for those people 60 years of age and older for their spouse and dependents and those persons unable to because of physical handicap to use regular transit buses. That is the amendment to the committee amendment.

PRESIDENT: Senator Kennedy do you want to....

SENATOR KENNEDY: I would want to say that we are in agreement and that we would ask for that adoption too.

PRESIDENT: Right now we are considering the Duis amendment to the committee amendments. Senator Syas do you want to be heard on the Duis amendment to the committee amendments?

SENATOR SYAS: Maybe not, I'm going to ask questions...is this mandatory under this bill this amendment?

PRESIDENT: He said no.

SENATOR SYAS: Is this in a different category than the Omaha situation?

SENATOR KENNEDY: Yes, the Omaha, I believe that I am correct, am I right Senator Duis?

SENATOR DUIS: Actually all this does that it enables us to allow them to participate if and when anything coming from the state or federal government. It merely allows them to receive from...at any such time that money would be coming from the state or the federal government.

PRESIDENT: Senator Syas, back to you.

SENATOR SYAS: Before I ask a question, I would ask him privately then I might have....

PRESIDENT: Actually the issue before the body is then the Duis amendment to the committee amendments and are you all through discussing the Duis amendment? Do you all understand the amendment? The question is, do you want to adopt the Duis amendment? If you do say aye, those opposed say no. Alright the Duis amendment to the committee amendment is adopted. Now Senator Kennedy back to you.

SENATOR KENNEDY: Alright then I would move

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